

## Message Text

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P R 130147Z APR 77  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY PARIS PRIORITY  
INFO AMEMBASSY MOGADISCIO  
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AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN  
AMEMBASSY DAKAR

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PDIP, PFOR, FT

SUBJECT:FRANCOPHONE AFRICAN REPRESENTATION IN DJIBOUTI

IT OCCURS TO US THAT ONE USEFUL ADDITION TO THE CONSULAR  
ESTABLISHMENTS IN DJIBOUTI WOULD BE A REPRESENTATIVE FROM  
ONE OF THE MODERATE FRANCOPHONE AFRICAN STATES, PREFERABLY  
ONE WITH A CONTINENT-WIDE PERSPECTIVE. ADDITIONAL REPRE-  
SENTATION FROM AMONG THE BLACK AFRICAN STATES MIGHT  
SIGNIFICANTLY REINFORCE THE DIPLOMATIC DETERRENT TO SOMALI  
OR ETHIOPIAN ADVENTURISM. WE SUGGEST EMBASSY DISCUSS  
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THIS QUESTION WITH APPROPRIATE FRENCH COUNTERPARTS, AND  
ASK WHETHER GOF HAS HAD ANY EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST FROM  
APPROPRIATE FRANCOPHONE STATES AND WHETHER GOF THINKS IT  
APPROPRIATE TO STIMULATE SUCH INTEREST.

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## Message Attributes

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